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<http://www.breitbart.com/big-government/2015/08/13/exclusive-geologist-who-predicted-epa-spill-they-just-didnt-think/>

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See link <http://www.infowars.com/inside-job-epa-may-have-intentionally-polluted-animas-river/>

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I am not one to buy into conspiracy theories; however, as I posted in my blog, if the Animas River spill had been caused by a private company, the criminal investigators would have been all over that company.

A friend of mine forwarded me this link – if true, it does merit at least a cursory criminal investigation . . . <http://www.infowars.com/inside-job-epa-may-have-intentionally-polluted-animas-river/>

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